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Apartment Fire in North Frederick

(Frederick, October 4, 2021) – Fire and Rescue units were dispatched around 1:50am to an apartment fire in the 500 block of Pearson Circle at The Lodge at Willow Pond in Frederick. Units arrived to find smoke showing from a third floor balcony. A Rapid Intervention Dispatch was requested as crews began working to extinguish the fire and assist in evacuating a small number of affected residents. The building's sprinkler system and fire alarm had activated prior to fire department arrival. It took approximately 50 firefighters from Independent, Junior, United, Citizens Truck, Walkersville, Lewistown, Westview, Spring Ridge, and Ft. Detrick Fire Companies 35 minutes to place the fire out and command staff worked with the property management company to assist the few displaced occupants. Crews remained on location to perform overhaul. One civilian was transported to a local hospital for smoke inhalation, there were no fire department related injuries.

The Frederick County Fire Marshal's Office is currently investigating.

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Photos of the incident can be found on Facebook and Twitter @FCDFRS

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